

# THE CALEDONIAN.

LOCAL AND STATE ITEMS.

JOHNSBURY, VT., FRIDAY, SEPT. 26, 1867.  
We endeavor to make the Caledonian valuable for news and our friends in Caledonia. Various societies will confer a great favor to us by very kindly to the interest of the paper being done in a brief, lucid form.

**brief Locals.**  
People attending our Fair next week, out of town, cannot spend the evenings more pleasantly than by attending the concerts by the Band on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, at Town Hall.

The vote of Bartor for Judge Buchanan was 116, instead of 19, as given in the printed returns.

Wednesday was a regular July day, and "muggy." A smart thunder-storm at night laid the dust and put the air, and Thursday morning was dry as June.

A. B. Pringle of Ryegate wishes us to know if the boys who took a number of carrots from his garden last Thurs., night will return the same, they can either ripen melons in exchange.

The silver goblet and rosewood bat to play for by the base ball clubs next meeting, are on exhibition in the window of Howard's jewelry store. The bat is made by John Bellamy of this place, and is another illustration of the skill of our superior workman.

At the time of his death, Wm. L. Chapman held a policy of insurance on his life for \$100,000 in the Massachusetts Mutual. The enormous impression that had induced his policy in going into eastern territories, his mother made application for payment until lately, to the Pelegregat, the agent of the company, paid over the amount at once.

There is to be a public meeting in the Hall Friday evening of this week, to be addressed by Mr. J. H. Clark, secretary of the Freedmen's Union. As Mr. Chapman has just come from the South, where he has used the effect of freedom and education upon slaves, this meeting may likely be of unusual interest.

The sign house and utensils of Howard's, just below Fairbanks' village, were burned on Saturday. Loss about \$100. It appears some fellows were out in a night stealing, which is the case with this house, and the fire they left and the building and contents. It is not the performers will be found.

—Geo. A. Bard of Burlington, N. H., preached at the North church, accompanied by the Rev. Mr. McLean of Burlington, spoke of the "Home for Destitute Children" at Burlington in this state, to acknowledge the kind reception I met with in presenting the cause of the above institution in your village. Rev. Mr. Cumings, pastor of the North church, courteously tendered me the use of his desk, and in his congregation, measurably augmented. I understood, by members of both the South and Methodist churches, gave me a patient hearing while I told them of the cause and progress of our infant "Home." A collection taken in behalf of the cause presented, amounted to the handsome sum of \$75.00. It was suggested by a female friend, that it might be of service to the people substituting coal for wood, to have a general and generous, not ungenerously manifested by the ladies of St. Johnsbury, that a subscription be obtained from the ladies of the village, payable annually for the term of — years, to the treasurer of the "Home" or her agents, amounting 100 dollars—the sum requisite to support one orphan child for a year. The suggestion "took," and I hastened to open this new channel for the christian beneficence of the ladies of St. Johnsbury. I should like to present some special cases of generosity, accompanied with such a peculiar geniality as conduced the offering doubly valuable, on which all did so well it might appear laudable to particularize. The enterprise was a complete success, in a few days the St. Johnsbury ladies will be represented at the "Home" in the person of a little girl, elevated above the woes it might otherwise have never been able to look beyond. Thus your village has added another leaf, not less green than any of many which already adorn the bough of its christian manhood.

But is known to you, sir, that the chief object of the managers of the "Home" in sending out agents now, is to secure an endowment fund, without which it would be utterly impossible to meet the necessities of our state, and the expectations of the friends of the institution; and I am happy to state to the further credit of your village, that the firm of E. & T. Fairbanks, and was then intended as simply a local institution. Its success, and the funds upon it were so great, that it is proposed to make it a state affair. It is the purpose of raising a permanent fund, and Mr. McLean is now engaged in this. The object is a most worthy and noble audience, deeply interested in the cause as presented St. Johnsbury.

In ticket office of the Passumpsic R.R., Newbury was broken into the night of 16th, and one hundred and sixty dollars disengaged. The tickets were for excursion on ten different roads. The jeweler of Wm. K. Wallace of the same was entered the same night, and a bullet taken.

**Week Days Changed.**  
The market days at Cambridge and Boston have been changed from Tuesday and Wednesday to Thursday and Friday. The stock trade runs on Wednesday, and Monday as heretofore.

**the Fair Next Week.**  
Nothing happens of an unexpected nature, the County Fair in this town stands still equal if not surpass anything held here. Yet we say to ourselves mechanics, living in all the productions, for there will be no room for them. Quite a number of dealers, and the country show on Tuesday and Wednesday, promises to bring out the goods, we make no use to fear, as they are supported by themselves within seven feet of water, and so braced that they cannot fall.

**not Wood.**  
most of our citizens seem determined on the question which is the cheapest fuel wood, as two cartloads of anthracite and forty tons of coal are being put into cellars in this village, all of the St. Johnsbury House is about thirty tons, and is having a large part of his kitchen and coal in other parts of his house. We had to see the coal coming, as wood growing more scarce every year, and in the snow falls, it did here last winter, a full supply of fuel is not secured, when coal burns two cords, and has a tendency to keep the down within reach of the laboring classes. Coal costs now at Bradford, N. H., about \$175 per ton, to bring it up to about \$130 Johnsbury. It comes via Burlington, and course costs more than it will be a more direct railroad route, and communication.

**Hut Out.**  
Burlington, the other day, they had a baseball game, but the game was not contested. West Fairlee, the home of Mr. Thomas, gives a republican majority, and has gained a republican representative.

The Rutland Herald says that two men in Bradford and Corinth are to be elected judges of probate in Franklin Co., there having been a miscount of some 90 votes, the correction of which gives him a majority over Sampson.

Rev. Mr. Billiter of St. Albans, preached his farewell sermon last Sunday.

**LAMOILLE COUNTY.**  
A Mrs. Wilson of Boston manufactured the American organ, and sent four cases, worth \$1,000, to the Fair.

The base-ball tournament at Burlington closed, Thursday, with the award of the \$100 prize bats out of the state, to the St. Lawrence of Plattsburgh, N. Y., and of the silver plate bat to the Alert Club of Pittsford.

Mr. Benjamin Upton of Bakerfield, aged ninety-two years, on Saturday afternoon, Aug. 31st walked from his home, three miles from the village, and attended the Republican caucus to vote for a candidate for president, and on Tuesday following when he came home to help elect him. Such indifference to principle commands itself to old men.

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**ORANGE COUNTY.**  
The Windham Journal says the eldest daughter of Mr. John Kimball of North Ticonderoga was married on Monday last, to Mr. George Dinsmore, proprietor of a "Young & Co's Patent" soap factory.

The Orange has a "Young & Co's Patent" soap factory.

Mr. George Dinsmore, proprietor, S. W. FOWLE & SON, Boston, Proprietors, Soaps & Potpourries and Groceries generally. —75-76

**Chain Lightning Benzine.** for removing stains & whitewash, all kinds of grease spots, paint stains & varnish, &c., from clothes, carpets, silk and cloth of every color. It is the most delicate talcum. This other article can be lit. It is sold by G. C. GOODWIN & CO., Boston, and all druggists.

**Bush's Argentine Hair Dye.** The most perfect hair dye in the world, it is made of pure cochineal, quick lime, madder, saffron, and red hair dye in the world. It is made of pure cochineal, changes gray, gray & red hair indelibly to a bright yellow, purple, brown or black, according to the color of the hair. After two trials the defendant recovered \$116.46, and the whole expense to the parties was less than \$250; enough to buy quite a flock of sheep.

## Base Ball at the Fair.

It has already been advertised that there is to be a match game of base ball on the fair grounds the second day of the fair. We are requested to state that a party of elderly gentlemen from a neighboring town propose to play a game of old fashioned "round ball" on the grounds, and the church and community at large are deeply moved by a gracious influence.

During the thunder storm on the morning of the 29th ult., a barn of Mr. Smith, a mile south of Craftsbury village, was struck by lightning, and consumed with all its contents. Loss not less than \$1000.

It seems the Lowell people are having their share of vicissitudes. A few days since Brain came out near the houses of Levi Wheelock and J. Souther, and took a sheep by daylight. Sunday he was caught in a trap.

The Congregational church in Barton proposes to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of their organization on Tuesday, Sept. 21.

The Orleans Co. Agricultural society will hold their fair at Barton Landing Oct. 8. Its officers are: Man. Nat'l. of Barton, President; Z. E. Johnson, Treasurer; William Collier of Derby, Treasurer.

The Congregational society in Newport proposes to have a new office. Dr. J. H. Schick of Philadelphia, has opened an office on Second Street, and it is expected he will be principally engaged every Wednesday, from 9 to 12 o'clock, in examining patients.

Another post office has been established in Derby, to be called "Beech Plain," and John Tinker has been appointed postmaster.

We think Derby is now well supplied with such offices, having five, well.

**The Harvest.**

The farmers have had delightful weather for harvesting and cutting their second crop of grass. The first frost of any amount was on Sabbath morning. Corn is all scoured, wheat and oats are in the barns, and potatoes have generally ripened and are of good growth. There are more apples raised in this section this season than for many years; and in fact, all the crops have been good, and what is as important, have been well secured.

**Home for Destitute Children.**

Mr. STONE.—Please permit me, as agent of the "Home for Destitute Children" at Burlington in this state, to acknowledge the kind reception I met with in presenting the cause of the above institution in your village. Rev. Mr. Cumings, pastor of the North church, courteously tendered me the use of his desk, and in his congregation, measurably augmented. I understood, by members of both the South and Methodist churches, gave me a patient hearing while I told them of the cause and progress of our infant "Home."

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For safety all druggists.

**New York Wholesale Price Current.**

Report of the St. Johnsbury Commissary and General Merchants, No. 2 Washington St., N.Y.

FOR WEEK ENDING SEPT. 18, 1867.

BUTTER, Orange County 40¢ 6¢ 45¢  
SALT, Vermont 35¢ 45¢ 50¢  
CHEESE, Factor, extra 11¢ 15¢ 15¢  
Pork, Family 11¢ 15¢ 15¢  
LARD, in Eggs 14¢ 15¢ 15¢  
EGGS, in Boxes 18¢ 15¢ 15¢  
BEANS, Marrows 4¢ 6¢ 7¢  
CABBAGE, Small Cabbage 1¢ 15¢ 20¢  
POULTRY, Turkeys, live 14¢ 15¢ 15¢  
TURKEY, dressed 25¢ 25¢ 25¢  
CHICKEN, dressed 25¢ 25¢ 25¢  
TALLOW, Cakes 11¢ 15¢ 15¢  
POK, Cakes 11¢ 15¢ 15¢  
SHEEP HOGS 25¢ 25¢ 25¢  
BEEF, Choice 4¢ 6¢ 7¢  
LAMB, Choice 4¢ 6¢ 7¢  
PORK, Choice 4¢ 6¢ 7¢  
POUNDS, Fresh, Peas 15¢ 15¢ 15¢  
MAPLE SUGAR, Small Cakes 10¢ 15¢ 15¢  
MILK, Western per lb. 10¢ 15¢ 15¢  
Wool, State Brand 10¢ 15¢ 15¢  
WOOL, State Brand 10¢ 15¢ 15¢  
OATS, State and Canada 12¢ 15¢ 15¢  
Wheat 12¢ 15¢ 15¢  
CORN, White Western 12¢ 15¢ 15¢  
REMARKS.

Butter and cheese save, and active, and outside figs, very fresh. Hop, hops, and onions, save, and ripe. We have ordered, and will present to you, the best of all, and a still like to have full evidence before the fact. A judicious care of their health, and a strict diet, will not fail to insure a long and happy life.

S. by a powerful exertion succeeded in saving himself from his antagonist, and, whipping him, his horse, soon after, and, having a way. On his arrival at Headville it was discovered that the horse had penetrated the outer coat, and while his carriage was somewhat broken and injured by a volley of stones thrown at the vehicle while he was escaping from his would-be assassins.

**WASHINGTON COUNTY.**

Walton's Daily says many of the people are substituting coal for wood. We understand that coal can be had delivered at \$10.50 per ton and it is as good as four bushels of wood at \$1 a cord. Should coal drop still further in price, wood will have

to follow the fashion.

**Special Notices.**

PASSESPSI LODGE, NO. 27, F. A. M., MASS. HALL, UNION ROAD, N.Y.

Established Sept. 14, 1867, and closed, Sept. 19.

MISS MARY HASTINGS, N.Y.

Regular meeting, Friday evening, September 13, 1867.

E. & T. FAIRBANKS, Secretary.

MATERNITY COMMANDERY, NO. 5, MASS. HALL, UNION ROAD, N.Y.

Established Sept. 14, 1867.

J. E. PERIN, Commander.

MOTHER BAILEY'S QUETTING SYRUP FOR CHILDREN.

It is a genuine elixir for children, and contains no opium. Only 25 cents. By Dr. Bush, druggist.

Reg. in U. S. Patent Office, Sept. 14, 1867.

MADE IN NEW YORK.

PALESTINE COMMANDERY, NO. 6, MASS. HALL, UNION ROAD, N.Y.

Established Sept. 14, 1867.

J. E. PERIN, Commander.

THE AMERICAN COOKING STOVE.

After 20 years experience in the manufacture of stoves, we became convinced, some six years since, that a vast amount of money was being expended by the people in the purchase of foreign stoves, a large portion of which was wasted, and that much could be done in buying the best stoves at home.

In this place, Sept. 14, Mary Louise, aged 16 months, daughter of Emerson and Mary S. Hall.

In Keene, N. H., Sept. 14, Mrs. Sarah C. Page, aged 16 months, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Page, of Keene, N. H.

South plan.

In Waterford, Aug. 24, Jessie, daughter of Henry and Maria Goss, aged 2 years.

In Winooski, Aug. 24, Delia, daughter of L. K. and Caroline P. Dow, aged 2 years.

In New Haven, Aug. 14, Mrs. Anna, wife of Seymour Loring, aged 12 years.

287 We have received from Mr. A. D. H. Smith of Boston, manufacturer of the American organ, and sent four cases, worth \$1,000, to the Fair.

288 The Orange address to a lady in Bright.

The unexpected recovery of a gray hair, who nevertheless is enough to make on's hair end, like quills upon the treacherous Porcupine. We don't like to grow old, and we still like to have full evidence before the fact. A judicious care of their health, and a strict diet, will not fail to insure a long and happy life.

289 The Orange, in its 10th year, is the most valuable instrument of the present day. It is used not limited to one person, but to all.

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